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GROTON - Public Input Sought on Future of the Groton Long Point Road Bridge over Palmer's Cove

The Town of Groton is holding a Public Listening Session on August 30, 2012 from 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM in the Town Hall Annex Community Room #1, 134 Groton Long Point Road, Groton, Connecticut. The purpose of the session is to solicit ideas and input from the public concerning the rehabilitation or replacement of the Groton Long Point Road Bridge (No. 04675) over Palmer's Cove in the Town of Groton. Drop in anytime during these hours to discuss with staff and the consultant any aspect of the project.

This will be the first of several public meetings that will be held at key milestones in the study to provide the opportunity for public comment and feedback about the project elements as they are developed. These elements include an engineering investigation and an evaluation study to analyze the bridge to determine if the bridge should be rehabilitated or replaced.

A dedicated study website has been created as a resource for the public to find out more information about this study. Meeting dates, study documents and a comment forum to provide feedback to the study team throughout the study process are available at www.grotonlongpointbridge.com.

Questions should be directed the Department of Public Works at 860-448-4083 or pworks@groton-ct.gov.